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SUBJECT: FORMER TGS CHIEF ON SPARE PARTS

REF: ANKARA 1848; NICOSIA 683

1. IN COURSE OF CONVERSATION WITH TURKISH AMBASSADOR
ESENBEL ON OTHER SUBJECTS MARCH 13 (SEPTELS) COUNSELOR
NIMETZ REFERRED TO SANCAR STATEMENT REFTELS THAT DOLS 6-7
MILLION IN AIRCRAFT SPARE PARTS WERE PROVIDED "FREE OF
CHARGE" DURING TURKEY'S 1974 CYPRUS OPERATION. NIMETZ
ASKED ESENBEL IF HE COULD PROVIDE ANY BACKGROUND ON THIS
MATTER.

2. ESENBEL SAID HE THOUGHT HE RECALLED A SHIPMENT WHICH
HAD BEEN ENROUTE DURING 1974 FOR WHICH ARRANGEMENTS HAD
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BEEN MADE FOR DELIVERY IN TURKEY DESPITE SHIPMENT BEING HELD
UP IN GREECE. BUT ESENBEL SAID HE WAS NOT SURE WHAT
SANCAR WAS REFERRING TO. VANCE

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